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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

pplicant: Xiangyang Tang

Art Unit: 2882

Serial No.: 10/608,460

Examiner:

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SCATTER CORRECTION
METHODS AND APPARATUS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Prior to examination, please amend the present patent application as set forth below.



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TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith are:

Preliminary Amendment (7 pgs.) Return Postcard

STATUS

2. Applicant

claims small entity status.

is other than a small entity.

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EXTENSION OF TERM

3.	The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply.									
	(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)									
	(a) Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (Fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:)									
Ext	ension for res	ponse within:	Other than small entity Fee	Small entity Fee (if applicable)						
		first month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00						
		Second month	\$ 420.00	\$ 210.00						
		third month	\$ 950.00	\$ 475.00						
		Fourth month	\$1,480.00	\$ 740.00						
		fifth month	\$ 2,010.00	\$1,005.00						
			Fee Due	\$						
If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor. (Check and complete the next item, if applicable)										
An extension of months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.										
Extension fee due with this request \$										
	OR									
	(b) Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility to applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for of time.									

FEE FOR CLAIMS

	(Col. 1) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT			(Col. 2)		SMALL ENTITY	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY				
				HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	ADDITIONAL. RATE FEE	OR	ADDITIONAL RATE FEE			
TOTAL			MINUS		=	x \$9 = \$		x \$18 = \$			
INDEP.			MINUS		=	x \$43 = \$		x \$86 = \$			
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5.	Attached is a check in the sum of \$										
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